# ANNUAL REPORTS

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# SANDOWN

FOR THE YEAR ENDING

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# TOWN OFFICERS 1946.

## SELECTMEN

James L. Paine, Chairman
Thomas A. LaCava
Charles B. French
Clyde J. Eaton

## TOWN CLERK

Charles I. Brock

## TREASURER

Priscilla D. Bassett

## TAX COLLECTOR

Clarence I. Drowne

## HIGHWAY AGENT

Ralph S. Follansbee

## SUPERVISORS OF CHECK LIST

John B. Holmes Jr.
Byron E. Kelley
Harlan W. Rand

## TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS

Raymond K. Bassett
Woodbury S. Pervere
John B. Holmes, Sr.

## TRUSTEES OF PUBLIC LIBRARY

Anna M. Enman
Edna K. French
Maud E. Eaton

## LIBRARIAN

Eleanor L. Bassett

## HEALTH OFFICER

Bernard A. Love

FIRE CHIEF

Bernard A. Love

FOREST FIRE WARDEN

Bernard A. Love

DEPUTY FOREST FIRE WARDENS

Allen D. Love
Ralph S. Follansbee
Raymond K. Bassett
Chester A. Ray

POLICE OFFICERS

Ralph D. Barnes, Chief
Nahum Blanchard
Chester A. Ray
John J. Pinard

AUDITORS

Bernard A. Love
Maude L. Holmes

MODERATOR

Clarence I. Drowne

## TOWN WARRANT

### THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Sandown in the County of Rockingham in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at Town Hall in said Sandown on Tuesday, the eleventh day of March, next at ten of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.

2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same.

3. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.

4. To see if the Town will vote to accept Town Road Aid: State to contribute $1,350.26, Town to raise $337.57.

5. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to administer or dispose of, at either public or private sale, property taken through Tax Collectors Deeds.

6. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $600. to purchase a Good Roads V plow for snow removal.

7. To see if the Town will vote to accept a tract of land on the shore of Phillip Pond and raise and appropriate a sum of money to start improving same.

Said tract is a gift from Beverly Seeley of Santa Ana, California and Sandown, to be improved and used as a bathing beach and park for the people of Sandown.

8. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate towards the War Memorial Fund.

9. To see if the Town will vote to discontinue and make subject to gates and bars, the so-called Cranberry Meadow Road. (State map road No. 63) In accordance with Chapter 188 Part 9 Revised Laws of 1945.

10. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors and Committees, and pass any vote relating thereto.

11. To act on any other Town business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this eleventh day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and forty-seven.

James L. Paine
Charles B. French
Thomas A. LaCava
Selectmen of Sandown.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

James L. Paine
Charles B. French
Thomas A. LaCava
Selectmen of Sandown.

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing Year
Revenue and Expenditures of the Previous Year January 1,

| SOURCES OF REVENUE | Actual Revenue Previous Year 1946 | Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1947 | Increase | Decrease |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| From State: | | | | |
| Interest and Dividends Tax | 32.25 | 32.25 | | |
| Savings Bank Tax | 27.92 | 27.92 | | |
| For Fighting Forest Fires | 1.00 | | | 1.00 |
| From Local Sources Except Taxes: | | | | |
| Rent of Town Hall And other Buildings | 122.00 | 100.00 | | 22.00 |
| Interest Received on Taxes | 52.67 | 30.00 | | 22.67 |
| Motor Vehicle Permit Fees | 274.53 | 250.00 | | 24.00 |
| Unclassified | 278.43 | | | 278.43 |
| From Local Taxes Other Than Property Taxes: | | | | |
| Poll Taxes— Regular @ $2 | 180.00 | 180.00 | | |
| National Bank Stock Taxes | 6.00 | 6.00 | | |
| Total Revenues from all Sources except Property Taxes | 974.80 | 626.17 | | 348.63 |
| Amount to be raised by Property Taxes | | 12,117.07 | | |
| Total Revenues | | 12,743.24 | | |

SANDOWN, NEW HAMPSHIRE
January 1, 1947 to December 31, 1947 Compared with Actual 1946 to December 31, 1946.

| PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES | Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1946 | Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year 1947 | Increase | Decrease |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Current Maintenance Expenses: | | | | |
| General Government: | | | | |
| Town Officers' Salaries | 646.23 | 800.00 | 153.77 | |
| Town Officers' Expenses | 330.23 | 500.00 | 169.77 | |
| Election and Registration Expenses | 151.00 | 75.00 | | 76.00 |
| Expenses Town Hall and Other Town Buildings | 466.80 | 400.00 | | 66.80 |
| Protection of Persons and Property: | | | | |
| Police Department | 3.60 | 75.00 | 71.40 | |
| Fire Department | 295.70 | 150.00 | | 145.70 |
| Health: | | | | |
| Vital Statistics | 6.50 | 10.00 | 3.50 | |
| Highways and Bridges: | | | | |
| Town Maintenance: Summer | 819.40 | 700.00 | | 119.40 |
| Town Maintenance: Winter | 1,237.60 | 1,200.00 | | 37.60 |
| General Expenses of Highway Dept. | 281.69 | 200.00 | | 81.69 |
| Town Road Aid | 336.83 | 337.57 | .74 | |
| Libraires: | 100.00 | 100.00 | | |
| Public Welfare: | | | | |
| Old Age Assistance | 607.77 | 700.00 | 93.00 | |
| Patriotic Purposes: | | | | |
| Memorial Day and Old Home Day | 79.17 | 25.00 | | 54.17 |

## BUDGET (continued)

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Public Service Enterprises: | | | | |
| Cemeteries | .70 | | | .70 |
| Interest: | | | | |
| On Parsonage Fund | 40.00 | 40.00 | | |
| On Principal of Trust Funds used by Town | 70.62 | 70.62 | | |
| Highways and Bridges: | | | | |
| New Equipment | 21.00 | 50.00 | 29.00 | |
| Payment on Principal of Debt: | | | | |
| Payment to Capital Reserve Funds | 500.00 | | | 500.00 |
| Payments to Other Governmental Divisions: | | | | |
| County Taxes | 849.05 | 849.05 | | |
| Payments to School Districts | 4,844.56 | 6,461.00 | 1,616.44 | |
| Total Expenditures | 11,688.45 | 12,743.24 | 2,137.62 | 1,081.36 |

## INVENTORY OF THE TOWN OF SANDOWN

| Description | Valuation |
|---|---|
| Lands and Buidings | 236,898.00 |
| Growing Wood and Timber | 21,997.00 |
| Electric Plants, 2 | 10,831.00 |
| Horses, 15 | 1,525.00 |
| Cows, 51 | 5,125.00 |
| Other Neat Stock, 10 | 675.00 |
| Hogs, 2 | 40.00 |
| Fowls, 2340 | 2,340.00 |
| Vehicles, 1 | 1,200.00 |
| Portable Mills, 2 | 1,600.00 |
| Boats and Launches, 5 | 125.00 |
| Wood, Lumber, etc. | 10,250.00 |
| Gasoline Pumps and Tanks, 4 | 640.00 |
| Stock in Trade, 2 | 1,500.00 |
| Total Valuation | 294,746.00 |

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Exclusive of soldiers' exemptions and exemptions to blind | | |
| Total Valuation | | 285,801.00 |
| Poll Taxes, 105 at $2.00 | | 210.00 |
| National Bank Stock Taxes | | 6.00 |
| Total amount of taxes to be committed to collector including town and precinct taxes, poll taxes and national bank stock taxes | | 10,504.84 |
| Average rate of taxation per one hundred dollars valuation for all purposes | | 3.60 |
| Amount of property valuation exempted to soldiers | | 8,945.00 |
| Number of inventories sent out | 278 | |
| Number of inventories returned | 116 | |

## STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND TAXES ASSESSED

Town of Sandown, 1946.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Appropriations: | | |
| Town Officers' Salaries | | 700.00 |
| Town Officers' Expenses | | 400.00 |
| Election and Registration Expenses | | 160.00 |
| Town Hall and Buildings | | 500.00 |
| Police Department | | 60.00 |
| Fire Department | | 150.00 |
| Vital Statistics | | 7.00 |
| Town Road Aid | | 336.83 |
| Town Maintenance, Summer | | 700.00 |
| Town Maintenance, Winter | | 1,500.00 |
| General Expenses of Highway Dept. | | 200.00 |
| New Equipment | | 50.00 |
| Libraries | | 100.00 |
| Old Age Assistance | | 800.00 |
| Memorial Day & Old Home Day | | 25.00 |
| War Memorial | | 150.00 |
| Interest | | 110.62 |
| County Tax | | 849.05 |
| School Tax | | 4,868.39 |
| Capital Reserve Fund— to be raised by taxation | | 500.00 |
| Total Town and School Appropriations | | 12,166.89 |
| Less: | | |
| Estimated Revenues and Credits: | | |
| Interest and Divident Tax | 32.38 | |
| Savings Bank Tax | 19.00 | |
| Motor Vehicle Permit Fees | 150.00 | |
| Rent of Town Property | 100.00 | |

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Interest Received on Taxes | 30.00 | |
| Cash Surplus | 1,407.40 | |
| Total Revenues and Credits | | 1,738.78 |
| | | 10,428.11 |
| Plus Overlay | | 76.73 |
| Net Amount to be raised by Taxation | | 10,504.84 |
| Less: | | |
| Poll Taxes at $2.00 | 210.00 | |
| National Bank Stock Taxes | 6.00 | |
| | | 216.00 |
| Amount to be raised by property taxes on which tax rate is to be figured | | 10,288.84 |
| Taxes to be Committed to Collector: | | |
| Property Taxes | | 10,288.84 |
| Poll Taxes at $2.00 | | 210.00 |
| National Bank Stock Taxes | | 6.00 |
| Total Taxes to be Committed | | 10,504.84 |
| Tax Rates: Town 3.60 | | |
| Submitted by Town | | 3.60 |

## COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES

Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1946.

| Title of Appropriation | Appropriation | Receipts and Reimbursements | Amount Available | Expenditures | Unexpended Balance | Overdraft |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Town Officers' Salaries | 700.00 | | 700.00 | 646.23 | 53.77 | |
| Town Officers' Expenses | 400.00 | | 400.00 | 330.23 | 69.77 | |
| Election and Registration | 160.00 | | 160.00 | 151.00 | 9.00 | |
| Town Hall and other Buildings | 500.00 | 122.00 | 622.00 | 466.80 | 155.20 | |
| Police Department | 60.00 | | 60.00 | 3.60 | 56.40 | |
| Fire Department | 150.00 | 112.65 | 262.65 | 295.70 | | 33.05 |
| Town Maintenance | | | | | | |
| Winter | 1,500.00 | | 1,500.00 | 1,237.60 | 262.40 | |
| Summer | 700.00 | 119.90 | 819.90 | 939.30 | | 119.40 |
| Town Road Aid | 336.83 | | 336.83 | 336.83 | | |
| General Expenses: | | | | | | |
| Highway Department | 200.00 | | 200.00 | 281.69 | | 81.69 |

| | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| New Equipment | 50.00 | | 50.00 | 21.00 | 29.00 | |
| Library | 100.00 | | 100.00 | 100.00 | | |
| Old Age Assistance | 800.00 | | 800.00 | 607.77 | 192.23 | |
| Memorial and Old Home Day | 25.00 | | 25.00 | 79.17 | | 54.17 |
| Interest | 110.62 | | 110.62 | 110.62 | | |
| County Tax | 849.05 | | 849.05 | 849.05 | | |
| | 6,641.50 | 354.55 | 6,996.05 | 6,456.59 | 827.77 | 288.31 |
| | | | | | 288.31 | |
| | | Net Unexpended Balance Appropriation | | | 539.46 | |

FINANCIAL REPORT

of the town of Sandown in Rockingham County
for the Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1946

CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete to the best of our knowledge and belief.
Dated January 20, 1947.

James L. Paine
Charles B. French
Thomas A. LaCava
Selectmen

Priscilla D. Bassett
Treasurer

## FINANCIAL STATEMENT CONTINUED.

## ASSETS

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Cash | | |
| In hands of treasurer | | 5,208.67 |
| Capital Reserve Funds: | | |
| Highway Construction | | 1,034.00 |
| Uncollected Taxes: | | |
| Levy of 1946 | | 1,606.26 |
| Total Assets | | 7,848.93 |
| Grand Total | | 7,848.93 |
| Surplus, December 31, 1945 | 2,732.13 | |
| Surplus, December 31, 1946 | 2,053.58 | |
| Decrease of Surplus | 678.55 | |

## LIABILITIES

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Accounts Owed by the Town: | | |
| Due to School Districts: | | |
| Dog licenses | 67.96 | |
| Balance of Appropriation | 1,868.39 | |
| | | 1,936.35 |
| Capital Reserve Funds: | | |
| Highway Construction | | 1,034.00 |
| Trust Funds, Amount of Principal Used by Town: | | 2,825.00 |
| Total Liabilities | | 5,795.35 |
| Excess of assets over liabilities Surplus | | 2,053.58 |
| Grand Total | | 7,848.93 |

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Current Revenue: | | |
| From Local Taxes: | | |
| Property taxes—Current year | 8,761.18 | |
| Poll taxes—Current year— Regular @ $2 | 180.00 | |
| National bank stock taxes | 6.00 | |
| Total of Current Year's taxes collected and remitted | | 8,947.18 |
| Property taxes—Previous years | | 1,878.00 |
| Poll taxes—Previous years— Regular @ $2 | | 40.00 |
| Poll taxes—Previous years— Special @ $3 | | 63.00 |
| Interest received on taxes | | 52.67 |
| Tax sales redeemed | | 106.99 |
| From State: | | |
| Gas Tax | 726.50 | |
| Interest and dividend tax | 32.25 | |
| Savings bank tax | 27.92 | |
| Fighting forest fires | 1.00 | |
| | | 787.67 |
| From Local Sources, Except Taxes: | | |
| Dog licenses | 76.60 | |
| Rent of town property | 122.00 | |
| Registration of motor vehicles, 1946 Permits | 274.53 | |
| | | 473.13 |
| Total Current Revenue Receipts | | 12,348.64 |

CLASSIFICATION

Payments For the Year Ended December 31, 1946

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Current Maintenance Expenses: | | | |
| General Government: | | | |
| Town officer's salaries | | 646.23 | |
| Town officer's expenses | | 330.23 | |
| Election and registration expenses | | 151.00 | |
| Expenses town hall and other town buildings | | 466.80 | |
| | | | 1,594.26 |
| Protection of Persons and Property: | | | |
| Police department | | 3.60 | |
| Fire department | | 295.70 | |
| Damage by dogs | | 8.64 | |
| | | | 307.94 |
| Health: | | | |
| Vital statistics | | 6.50 | |
| | | | 6.50 |
| Highways and Bridges: | | | |
| Town Road Aid | | 336.83 | |
| Town Maintenance | | | |
| Summer | 939.30 | | |
| Winter | 1,237.60 | | |
| | | 2,176.90 | |
| Gas Tax | | 726.50 | |
| General Expenses of Highway Department | | 281.69 | |
| | | | 3,521.92 |

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Receipts Other than Current Revenue: | | |
| Unclassified | 278.43 | |
| Total Receipts other than Current Revenue | | 278.43 |
| Total Receipts from all Sources | | 12,627.07 |
| Cash on hand January 1, 1946 | | 5,479.20 |
| Grand Total | | 18,106.27 |

PAYMENTS (continued)

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Libraries: | | |
| Libraries | 100.00 | 100.00 |
| Public Welfare: | | |
| Old age assistance | 607.77 | 607.77 |
| Patriotic Purposes: | | |
| Memorial day and Old Home Day | 79.17 | 79.17 |
| Public Service Enterprises: | | |
| Cemeteries | .70 | .70 |
| Unclassified: | | |
| Unclassified | 28.91 | |
| War memorial | 150.00 | |
| Taxes bought by town | 89.50 | |
| | | 268.41 |
| Total Current Maintenance Expenses | | 6,486.67 |
| Interest: | | |
| Paid on Parsonage Fund | 40.00 | |
| Paid on principal of trust funds used by towns | 70.62 | |
| Total Interest Payments | | 110.62 |
| Outlay for New Construction and Permanent Improvements: | | |
| New equipment—Highway | 21.00 | |
| Total Outlay Payments | | 21.00 |
| Indebtedness: | | |
| Payments to capital reserve funds | 500.00 | |
| Total Indebtedness Payments | | 500.00 |

| | |
|---|---|
| Grand Total | 18,106.27 |

PAYMENTS (continued)

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Payments to Other Governmental Divisions: | | |
| Special poll taxes @ $3 paid to State | 85.70 | |
| Taxes paid to County | 849.05 | |
| Payments to School Districts | 4,844.56 | |
| Total Payments to other Governmental Divisions | | 5,779.31 |
| Total Payments for all Purposes | | 12,897.60 |
| Cash on hand December 31, 1946 | | 5,208.67 |
| Grand Total | | 18,106.27 |

## SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

| Description | Value |
|---|---|
| Town Hall, Lands and Buildings | 10,000.00 |
| Furniture and Equipment | 500.00 |
| Libraries, Furniture and Equipment | 750.00 |
| Fire Department, Equipment | 300.00 |
| Highway Department, Equipment | 1,000.00 |
| Schools, Lands and Buildings | 1,500.00 |
| Equipment | 300.00 |
| All Lands and Buildings acquired through Tax Collector's deeds | 500.00 |
| Total | 14,850.00 |

## REPORT OF THE TOWN CLERK

For the year ending December 31, 1946

| | |
|---|---|
| Auto permits issued, 124 | |
| Jan. 1, 1946 to Dec. 31, 1946 | 274.53 |
| Paid Treasurer | 274.53 |
| Dog licenses 1946: | |
| 25 Male dogs @ $2.00 | 50.00 |
| 3 Spayed Females @ $2.00 | 6.00 |
| 3 Females @ $5.00 | 15.00 |
| 1 Kennel license @ $12.00 | 12.00 |
| | 83.00 |
| Less fees @ .20 on 32 dogs | 6.40 |
| Paid Treasurer | 76.60 |

Charles I. Brock
Town Clerk

## TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

### Summary of Warrant

### Levy of 1946

—Dr.—

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Taxes Committed to Collector: | | |
| Property taxes | 10,288.84 | |
| Poll taxes | 226.00 | |
| National bank stock taxes | 6.00 | |
| Total Warrant | 10,520.84 | |
| Added Taxes: | | |
| Property taxes | 73.80 | |
| Interest collected | .55 | |
| Total Debits | | 10,595.19 |

—Cr.—

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Remittances to Treasurer: | | |
| Property taxes | 8,761.18 | |
| Poll taxes | 180.00 | |
| National bank stock taxes | 6.00 | |
| Interest collected | .55 | |
| Abatements | 41.20 | |
| Uncollected Taxes as per Collector's List: | | |
| Property taxes | 1,576.26 | |
| Poll taxes | 30.00 | |
| Total Credits | | 10,595.19 |

### Summary of Warrant

### Levy of 1945

—Dr.—

| | |
|---|---|
| Uncollected Taxes as of Jan. 1, 1946: | |
| Property taxes | 1,868.87 |
| Poll taxes—regular @ $2.00 | 48.00 |

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Poll taxes—special @ $3.00 | 75.00 | |
| | | 1,991.87 |
| Interest Collected during fiscal year ended Dec. 31, 1946 | | 46.27 |
| Costs Collected during fiscal year ended December 31, 1946 | | 36.88 |
| Total Debits | | 2,075.02 |

—Cr.—

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Remittances to Treasurer during year ended Dec. 31, 1946: | | |
| Property taxes | 1,868.87 | |
| Poll taxes—regular @ $2.00 | 40.00 | |
| Poll taxes—special @ $3.00 | 63.00 | |
| Interest collected during year | 46.27 | |
| Cost collected during year | 36.88 | |
| Abatements made during year | 20.00 | |
| Total Credits | | 2,075.02 |

Summary of Warrant

Levy of 1944

—Dr.—

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Uncollected Taxes as of Jan. 1, 1946: | | |
| Property taxes | 9.13 | |
| Interest collected during fiscal year ended Dec. 31, 1946 | .79 | |
| Total Debits | | 9.92 |

—Cr.—

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Remittances to Treasurer during fiscal year ended Dec. 31, 1946: | | |
| Property taxes | 9.13 | |

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Interest collected during year | .79 | |
| Total Credits | | 9.92 |

Summary of Tax Sales Accounts
as of December 31, 1946

—Dr.—

| Tax Sale on Account of Levy of: Taxes Sold to Town during | 1946 | 1945 | 1944 | 1943 |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Current Fiscal year | 89.50 | | | |
| Bal. of Unredeemed Taxes, Jan. 1, 1946 | | | 9.14 | 8.35 |
| Interest Collected After Sale | 1.48 | | 1.41 | 2.17 |
| Redemption Costs and Fees | 3.50 | | .25 | .25 |
| Total Debits | 94.48 | | 10.80 | 10.77 |
| Remit. to Treas. During Year | | | | |
| Total Credits | 94.48 | | 10.80 | 10.77 |

Clarence I. Drowne
Tax Collector

TOWN TREASURER'S REPORT

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1946 | | 5,479.20 |
| Receipts | | |
| From State Treasurer | | |
| Reimbursement, fire at Angle Pond | 1.00 | |
| Gas tax | 726.50 | |
| Interest and dividends Savings Bank | 60.17 | |
| | | 787.67 |
| From C. I. Drowne, Collector: | | |
| Taxes | | 11,128.72 |

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| From C. I. Brock: | | |
| Filing fees | | 6.00 |
| Dog licenses | | 151.35 |
| Auto permits | | 199.78 |
| From Hall rental | | 122.00 |
| From fires | | |
| Albert Chafe | 42.65 | |
| Selectmen fire at Cudworth | 69.00 | |
| | | 111.65 |
| From Ernest Pillsbury | | |
| Work on Angle Pond Road | | 119.90 |
| | | 18,106.27 |
| Less Selectmen's Orders Paid | | 12,897.60 |
| Cash Balance on hand | | 5,208.67 |

Priscilla D. Bassett
Treasurer

SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS

| | |
|---|---|
| Current Revenue: | |
| From Local Taxes: | |
| Property taxes, current year | 8,761.18 |
| Poll taxes, current year | 180.00 |
| National bank stock tax | 6.00 |
| Property and poll taxes, previous years | 1,918.00 |
| Special $3 poll taxes, previous years | 63.00 |
| Interest received on taxes | 52.67 |
| Tax sales redeemed | 106.99 |
| | 11,087.84 |
| From State: | |
| For Class V highway maintenance, | |
| Gas tax | 726.50 |
| Interest and dividend tax | 32.25 |

| | |
|---|---|
| Savings bank tax | 27.92 |
| Fighting forest fires | 1.00 |
| | 787.67 |
| From Local Sources, except Taxes: | |
| Dog licenses | 76.60 |
| Rent of town property | 122.00 |
| Registration of motor vehicles 1946 permits | 274.53 |
| | 473.13 |
| Unclassified: | |
| Reimbursement for Cudworth fire | 69.00 |
| Reimbursement for Chafe fire | 42.65 |
| Reimbursement for work done on Angle Pond Roads | 119.90 |
| Candidate filing fees | 6.00 |
| Tax Sale cost and fees | 40.88 |
| | 278.43 |
| Total Receipts from all Sources | 12,627.07 |
| Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1946 | 5,479.20 |
| Grand Total | 18,106.27 |

## DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

### TOWN OFFICERS' SALARIES

| | |
|---|---|
| J. L. Paine, Selectman | 244.00 |
| C. J. Eaton, Selectman | 25.00 |
| C. B. French, Selectman | 35.00 |
| T. A. LaCava, Selectman | 38.00 |
| P. D. Bassett, Treasurer | 60.00 |
| C. I. Brock, Town Clerk | 50.00 |
| C. I. Drowne, Tax Collector | 164.23 |

| | |
|---|---|
| B. A. Love, Auditor | 15.00 |
| M. L. Holmes, Auditor | 15.00 |
| | 646.23 |

TOWN OFFICERS' EXPENSES

| | |
|---|---|
| Edson C. Eastman Co., office supplies | 20.10 |
| Lena M. Kelley, postage | 7.92 |
| News Enterprise Press, town reports | 120.00 |
| J. L. Paine, expenses | 41.75 |
| R. K. Bassett, Agent, town officers bonds | 38.00 |
| C. I. Drowne, tax sale fees and costs | 33.46 |
| Sargent Brothers, printing tax bills | 9.85 |
| Association of N. H. Assessors, annual dues | 2.00 |
| Hunts Garage, opening town clerks safe | 3.75 |
| John W. A. Green, deed transfer cards | 9.40 |
| S. P. Johnson, perambulating Hampstead Sandown Line | 4.00 |
| C. I. Brock, auto permit fees, Auto reference book | 34.00 |
| C. I. Brock, postage and supplies | 6.00 |
| | 330.23 |

TOWN OFFICERS' EXPENSES

| | |
|---|---|
| Sandown Telephone Co., telephone | 19.46 |
| N. H. Gas and Electric Co., lights | 39.62 |
| C. J. Eaton, labor and materials | 10.89 |
| Dinsmores General Store, supplies | .25 |
| R. S. Bassett, chopping and yarding wood | 67.50 |
| R. S. Follansbee, sawing and hauling wood | 25.00 |
| R. S. Follansbee, two cords pine slabs | 22.00 |
| J. L. Paine, supplies | 5.36 |
| B. A. Love, Agent, Insurance on McLaren place | 3.35 |
| Rockingham Farmers Fire Insurance Co., Insurance on McLaren place | 4.68 |

| | |
|---|---|
| Curtis Insurance Agency, Insurance on Old Church | 80.00 |
| J. L. Paine, janitor services | 110.25 |
| T. A. LaCava, labor and material on Well and outside pump | 55.50 |
| S. A. Buckley, Installing Lights over Voting Booths | 22.94 |
| | 466.80 |

## ELECTION AND REGISTRATION

| | |
|---|---|
| J. B. Holmes Jr., supervisor of check list | 28.00 |
| H. W. Rand, supervisor of check list | 27.50 |
| B. E. Kelley, supervisor of check list | 27.50 |
| H. E. Rand, ballot clerk | 10.50 |
| F. A. Dole, ballot clerk | 7.00 |
| S. A. Buckley, ballot clerk | 3.50 |
| M. L. Holmes, ballot clerk | 10.50 |
| B. S. Blye, ballot clerk | 3.50 |
| L. C. Dole, ballot clerk | 3.50 |
| C. A. Ray, ballot clerk | 3.50 |
| C. I. Drowne, moderator | 15.00 |
| News Enterprise Press, town ballots | 11.00 |
| | 151.00 |

## POLICE DEPARTMENT

| | |
|---|---|
| N. J. Blanchard, police service | 3.60 |

## FIRE DEPARTMENT

| | |
|---|---|
| Hampstead Fire Dept., Bassett fire | 35.00 |
| Fremont Fire Dept., Bassett & Chafe fire | 75.00 |
| B. A. Love, Chafe and Cudworth fires | 68.75 |
| Charles Bassett, watching Reed fire | 4.20 |
| Hampstead Fire Dept., Cudworth fire | 35.00 |
| B. A. Love, brush fire, Angle Pond | 2.00 |
| Chester Fire Dept., Yeroyan fire | 25.00 |

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|---|---|
| Chester Fire Dept., B. A. Love fire | 25.00 |
| B. A. Love, brush fire, J. A. Woods | 16.75 |
| B. A. Love, fire services | 5.00 |
| R. K. Bassett, brush fire, Little Mill Road | 2.00 |
| R. K. Bassett, care of fire equipment | 2.00 |
| | 295.70 |

DAMAGE BY DOGS

| | |
|---|---|
| C. A. Ray, Dog Officer 1945 | 5.00 |
| Edson C. Eastman Co., Dog tags | 3.64 |
| | 8.64 |

VITAL STATISTICS

| | |
|---|---|
| C. I. Brock | 6.50 |

TOWN MAINTENANCE, SUMMER

| | |
|---|---|
| R. S. Follansbee, pay roll | 664.70 |
| R. S. True, bridge stringers | 35.00 |
| Treas., State of N. H., overdraft road aid | 239.60 |
| | 939.30 |

TOWN MAINTENANCE, WINTER

| | |
|---|---|
| R. S. Follansbee, pay roll | 1,237.60 |

STATE GAS TAX

| | |
|---|---|
| R. S. Follansbee, pay roll | 619.85 |
| H. L. Crooker, cutting brush, W. Cem. Rd. | 41.00 |
| Treas. State of N. H., overdraft, road aid | 65.65 |
| | 726.50 |

GENERAL EXPENSES OF HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

| | |
|---|---|
| R. C. Hazelton Co., 6 shovels, bolts & nuts | 19.85 |
| R. S. Follansbee, welding on plow | 11.06 |

| | |
|---|---|
| R. S. Follansbee, 2 trips Haverhill with plows | 10.00 |
| Dinsmores General Store, oil, bolts and washers | 15.95 |
| R. C. Hazelton Co., 4 plow blades, welding plow | 55.73 |
| R. C. Hazelton Co., labor on plow and material | 88.68 |
| R. C. Hazelton Co., grader blade | 10.19 |
| R. S. Follansbee, paint, bolts and nuts | 18.14 |
| R. S. Follansbee, labor rigging plows | 27.10 |
| R. C. Hazelton Co., parts for plows, bolts & nuts | 24.99 |
| | 281.69 |

LIBRARY

| | |
|---|---|
| E. D. Sanborn, Agent, Insurance on books | 6.25 |
| A. M. Enman, Treas. Library Trustees | 93.75 |
| | 100.00 |

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

| | |
|---|---|
| State of New Hampshire | 607.77 |

MEMORIAL AND OLD HOME DAY

| | |
|---|---|
| B. E. Kelley, flags | 12.17 |
| E. K. French, cards for Old Home Day | 8.00 |
| Dorrety of Boston, Victory Medals | 55.00 |
| Benjamin Kenney, parking cars | 4.00 |
| | 79.17 |

CAPITAL RESERVE FUND

| | |
|---|---|
| R. K. Bassett, Treas., Trustees Trust Fund | 500.00 |

CEMETERIES

| | |
|---|---|
| C. J. Eaton, labor in cemetery | .70 |

TAXES BOUGHT BY TOWN

| | |
|---|---|
| C. I. Drowne, collector | 89.50 |

## INTEREST

| | |
|---|---|
| R. K. Bassett, Agent, Parsonage Fund | 40.00 |
| R. K. Bassett, Treasurer, Trust Funds | 70.62 |
| | 110.62 |

## TOWN ROAD AID

| | |
|---|---|
| Treasurer, State of N. H. | 336.83 |

## NEW EQUIPMENT

| | |
|---|---|
| Merrimack Farmers Exchange, snow fence | 21.00 |

## UNCLASSIFIED

| | |
|---|---|
| C. I. Drowne, Treas., War Mem. Com. | 150.00 |
| C. I. Drowne, Tax William Prescott land | 5.59 |
| C. I. Drowne, Tax Sale fees | 23.32 |
| | 178.91 |

## PAYMENTS TO OTHER GOVERNMENTAL DIVISIONS

| | |
|---|---|
| County Tax | 849.05 |
| School District | 4,844.56 |
| State of New Hampshire, special poll tax | 85.70 |
| Total Payments | 12,897.60 |

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## REPORT OF R. S. FOLLANSBEE HIGHWAY AGENT

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Received from Selectmen | | 2,522.15 |
| Paid out as follows: | | |
| Winter Maintenance | 1,237.60 | |
| Summer Maintenance | 664.70 | |
| State Gas Tax | 619.85 | |
| | | 2,522.15 |

## WINTER

| | |
|---|---|
| R. S. Follansbee, trucks | 963.20 |
| R. S. Follansbee, labor | 7.00 |
| R. S. Bassett, labor | 97.30 |
| Norman Follansbee, labor | 16.80 |
| William Hutchinson, labor | 56.70 |
| Benjamin Kenney, labor | 52.50 |
| C. W. Merrick, labor | 1.40 |
| Harry George, labor | 11.20 |
| George Ray, labor | 8.40 |
| Lewis Sinskie, labor | 4.90 |
| Roy Hutchinson, labor | 5.60 |
| Warren Roberts, labor | 3.50 |
| Charles Bassett, labor | 1.40 |
| Maurice LaClair, labor | 7.70 |
| | 1,237.60 |

## SUMMER

| | |
|---|---|
| R. S. Follansbee, trucks | 244.80 |
| R. S. Follansbee, grader | 222.50 |
| R. S. Bassett, labor | 51.10 |
| Edmund Huckins, labor | 28.00 |
| Norman Follansbee, labor | 22.40 |
| Charles Bassett, labor | 57.40 |
| Harry George, labor | 18.20 |
| Benjamin Kenney, labor | 14.70 |
| William Hutchinson, labor | 5.60 |
| | 664.70 |

## STATE GAS TAX

| | |
|---|---|
| R. S. Follansbee, trucks | 175.90 |
| R. S. Follansbee, grader | 281.25 |
| R. S. Follansbee, labor | 5.60 |
| William Hutchinson, labor | 18.20 |
| Norman Follansbee, labor | 21.00 |

| | |
|---|---|
| C. W. Merrick, labor | 11.90 |
| Roy Hutchinson, labor | 22.75 |
| R. Roberts, labor | 1.40 |
| Charles Clark, labor | 17.15 |
| Lewis Sinskie, labor | 6.00 |
| Harry George, labor | 25.90 |
| R. K. Bassett, labor | 18.00 |
| Benjamin Kenney, labor | 11.20 |
| R. K. Bassett, gravel | 3.00 |
| Wendall Hayford, gravel | .60 |
| | 619.85 |

## REPORT OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES OF TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS FOR 1946

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1946 | | 167.13 |
| Receipts | | |
| From Town—Interest on note | | 70.62 |
| From First Natl. Bank, Derry—Interest | | 1.52 |
| From U. S. Treasury—Interest on Bonds | | 18.00 |
| | | 257.27 |
| Expenditures | | |
| Edson C. Eastman—record book | 9.12 | |
| Farmers Exchange, fertilizer | 8.76 | |
| R. S. Bassett | 9.60 | |
| R. K. Bassett, help hired | 52.50 | |
| Donald Bassett | 14.40 | |
| Everett Huckins | 12.00 | |
| W. S. Pervere | 27.00 | |
| J. L. Paine | 9.80 | |
| | | 143.18 |
| Balance of Income on hand | | 114.09 |

Raymond K. Bassett
Treas. Trust Funds

REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF SANDOWN ON DECEMBER 31, 1946

| Date of Creation | TRUST FUNDS— PURPOSE OF CREATION | HOW INVESTED | Amount of Principal | Rate of Interest | Balance of Income on Hand at Beginning of Year. | Income During Year. | Expended During Year. | Balance of Income on Hand at End of Year. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Dec. 15. 1897 | Eleanor Bagley Fund ..... | Town Note ..... | 50.00 | 2½% | | 1.25 | 1.25 | |
| Oct. 1, 1913 | Hannah T. French Fund ..... | Town Note ..... | 50.00 | 2½ | | 1.25 | 1.25 | |
| Jan. 1, 1918 | Justin Sanborn Fund ..... | Town Note ..... | 100.00 | 2½ | 11.75 | 2.50 | 7.95 | 6.30 |
| Dec. 7, 1922 | Martha H. Ordway Fund ..... | Town Note ..... | 300.00 | 2½ | 5.75 | 7.50 | 10.50 | 2.75 |
| Feb. 2, 1926 | Elizabeth B. Grainger Fund ... | Town Note ..... | 400.00 | 2½ | 20.75 | 10.00 | 15.75 | 15.00 |
| Mar. 8, 1927 | Sophronia W. Currier Fund .... | Town Note ---------- | 500.00 | 2½ | 64.84 | 12.50 | 37.34 | 40.00 |
| Sept. 4, 1929 | Hattie M. Clark Fund ..... | Town Note ---------- | 100.00 | 2½ | 2.75 | 2.50 | 2.50 | 2.75 |
| Sept. 1, 1930 | Emma J. Stanley Fund ..... "Rufus Fellows Lot" ..... | Town Note ---------- | 500.00 | 2½ | 44.35 | 12.50 | 21.50 | 35.35 |
| July 20, 1933 | Nellie J. Darbe Fund ..... | Town Note ---------- | 75.00 | 2½ | | 1.87 | 1.87 | |
| Mar. 5, 1932 | Sarah J. Mills Fund ..... "Gust P. Mills Lot" ..... | Town Note ---------- | 100.00 | 2½ | 2.75 | 2.50 | 2.50 | 2.75 |
| April 9, 1934 | Lisette Hunt Sanborn -------- Agnes Hunt Bradbury ----- | Town Note ---------- | 100.00 | 2½ | | 2.50 | 2.50 | |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Nov. 17, 1934 | Martha H. Ordway Fund ..... | Town Note ---------- | 500.00 | 2½ | 8.69 | 12.50 | 17.50 | 3.69 |
| Jan. 7, 1935 | Lisette Hunt Sanborn -------- | Town Note ---------- | 50.00 | 2½ | | 1.25 | 1.25 | |
| | Agnes Hunt Bradbury ----- | | | | | | | |
| June 15, 1938 | C. Ida Sanborn Fund ..... | Savings Bank -------- | 50.00 | 1½ | | .76 | .76 | |
| | "Moses Sanborn and William Tilton Lots" ..... | | | | | | | |
| Aug. 13, 1939 | Harriet M. Goodwin Fund ----- | U. S. Bonds --------- | 200.00 | 2¾ | 5.50 | 5.50 | 5.50 | 5.50 |
| Oct. 5, 1940 | Anna Cate Fund ---------- | Savings Bank -------- | 50.00 | 1½ | | .76 | .76 | |
| Apr. 1, 1943 | Robert H. Sanborn Fund ----- | U. S. Govt. Bonds --- | 100.00 | 2½ | | 2.50 | 2.50 | |
| Apr. 12, 1943 | Mabel Poor Fund ---------- | U. S. Govt. Bonds --- | 100.00 | 2½ | | 2.50 | 2.50 | |
| | "Grover lot" ---------- | | | | | | | |
| July 6, 1944 | William O. Patten Fund ------ | U. S. Gov. Bonds ----- | 100.00 | 2½ | | 2.50 | 2.50 | |
| Sept. 20, 1945 | Blake Fund ---------- | U. S. Govt. Bonds --- | 200.00 | 2½ | | 500 | 5.00 | |
| | "Tilton and Fellows Lots" | | 3,625.00 | | 167.13 | 90.14 | 143.18 | 114.09 |
| Dec. 7, 1944 | Post War Fund "Cap. Reserve" | Savings Bank -------- | $1,044.50 | | | | | |

Raymond K. Bassett, Woodbury S. Pervere, John B. Holmes, Sr., Trustees.

Sandown, N. H.

## AUDITORS' REPORT

This to certify that we have carefully examined the accounts of the Tax Collector, Clerk, Treasurer, Selectmen, Road Agent, Trustees of Trust Funds and Library Trustees for the fiscal year ending Dec. 31st, 1946 and find them to be correctly cast and properly vouched.

Bernard A. Love
Maude L. Holmes
Auditors

January 18, 1947

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## REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE PUBLIC LIBRARY
## TREASURER'S REPORT

December 31, 1946

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Jan. 1, 1946 Cash on hand | 26.02 | |
| Received from Selectmen | 93.75 | |
| Dues | 4.00 | |
| | | 123.77 |
| Paid for: | | |
| books and magazines | 66.47 | |
| Librarian | 37.50 | |
| | | 103.97 |
| Jan. 1, 1947 | | |
| Cash on hand | | 19.80 |

Anna M. Enman
Treasurer

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## LIBRARIAN'S REPORT

January 1, 1946 — December 31, 1946

| | |
|---|---|
| Number of Adults present | 466 |
| Number of children present | 229 |

| | |
|---|---|
| Number of books loaned | 558 |
| Number of magazines loaned | 145 |
| Number of books bought | 38 |
| Number of cards issued | 130 |
| Issued during year | 6 |

Books have been donated by Mrs. LaCarva, magazines have been donated by Mrs. Brock, Mrs. Enman and Mrs. Gienandt.

Eleanor L. Bassett
Librarian

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## ANNUAL REPORT OF THE OFFICERS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF SANDOWN, N. H.

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### OFFICERS OF SANDOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT 1946

SCHOOL BOARD

| | |
|---|---|
| Mrs. Maude L. Holmes | Term expires 1947 |
| Mrs. Maud E. Eaton | Term expires 1948 |
| Mrs. Nellie K. Geisser | Term expires 1949 |

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS
Jonathan A. Osgood

TREASURER
Mrs. Edith D. Love

MODERATOR
Bernard A. Love

CLERK
Mrs. Marguerite Drowne

AUDITOR

Charles B. French

ATTENDANCE OFFICER

John B. Holmes

SCHOOL NURSE

Mrs. Constance Cooper, R. N.

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## SCHOOL WARRANT

### THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the School District in the town of Sandown, qualified to vote in district affairs:—

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the seventh day of March, 1947, at eight o'clock in the P. M. to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.

2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.

3. To choose a member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.

4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.

5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agents of the district.

6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.

7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.

8. To see if the district will vote to make any alteration in the amount of money required to be assessed

for the ensuing year for the support of public schools and the payment of the statutory obligations of the district, as determined by the school board in its annual report.

9. To see if the district will vote to appoint a committee of six consisting of the School Board and Board of Selectmen to study during the ensuing year and report, with recommendations, at the next district meeting (March 1948) the practicability of using the Town Hall building for a consolidated school house as well as a community and recreational center.

10. To see if the District will vote to raise and appropriate $500.00 to be used as a deficiency fund to be used this school year (1946-1947).

11. To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands at said Sandown this 5th day of February, 1947.

Maude L. Holmes
Maud E. Eaton
Nellie K. Geisser
School Board of Sandown

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## SCHOOL BOARD BUDGET

From July 1, 1947 to June 30, 1948

To be voted on at the annual School District meeting, March 7, 1947.

| | |
|---|---|
| Teachers' Salaries | 3,600.00 |
| Text Books | 65.00 |
| Scholar's Supplies | 65.00 |
| Flags and Appurtenances | 5.00 |
| Other Expenses of Instruction | 10.00 |
| Janitor Service | 150.00 |
| Fuel | 200.00 |
| Water, Light, Janitors' Supplies | 60.00 |

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Minor Repairs and Expenses | | 75.00 |
| Health Supervision (Medical Inspection) | | 115.00 |
| Transportation of Pupils | | 900.00 |
| Other Special Activities | | 10.00 |
| Total for Support of Schools | | 5,255.00 |
| Deduct State Aid | 1,700.00 | |
| Deduct Dog Tax | 50.00 | |
| | 1,750.00 | |
| Balance to raise by district tax for Support of Schools | | 3,505.00 |
| Salaries of District Officers | | 142.00 |
| Truant Officer, School Census | | 10.00 |
| High School Tuitions | | 2,040.00 |
| Town's Share of Superintendent's Salary | | 126.00 |
| Per Capita Tax ($2 per pupil) | | 68.00 |
| Insurance and Administration | | 70.00 |
| Total to raise by District Tax for School Purposes | | 5,961.00 |
| Special Appropriation Proposed Deficiency Fund (1946-1947) | | 500.00 |
| Total Assessment required to cover Budget and Appropriation | | 6,461.00 |

Respectfully submitted
Maude L. Holmes
Maud E. Eaton
Nellie K. Geisser
School Board of Sandown

## FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE SCHOOL BOARD

July 1, 1945 to June 30, 1946

### Receipts

| | |
|---|---|
| Cash on hand July 1, 1945 | 596.72 |
| Equalization Fund for Elementary Schools | 1,372.61 |
| Support of Elementary Schools | 2,221.76 |
| Payment of High School Tuition | 1,180.78 |
| Salaries of District Officers | 112.00 |
| Payment of Per Capita Tax | 68.00 |
| Other obligations | 182.46 |
| Dog Licenses | 79.56 |
| Sale of Property | 4.00 |
| Total Receipts | 5,817.89 |

### Payments

| | |
|---|---|
| Salaries of District Officers | 112.00 |
| Town's Share of Superintendent's Salary | 109.09 |
| Truant Officer, School Census | 10.00 |
| Expenses of Administration | 63.37 |
| Principals' and Teachers' Salaries | 2,586.65 |
| Text Books | 58.54 |
| Scholars' Supplies | 71.55 |
| Other Expenses of Instruction | 10.91 |
| Janitor Services | 115.00 |
| Water, light, Janitors supplies | 50.93 |
| Minor Repairs and Expenses | 185.00 |
| Medical Inspection | 78.01 |
| Transportation of Pupils | 944.60 |
| High School and Academy Tuition | 1,180.78 |
| Other Special Activities | 13.01 |
| Insurance and Other Fixed Charges | 22.98 |
| Tax for State Wide Supervision ($2.00 per capita) | 68.00 |

| | |
|---|---|
| New Equipment | 32.00 |
| Cash on hand June 30, 1946 | 105.47 |
| | 5,817.89 |

Jonathan A. Osgood
Superintendent
Maude L. Holmes
Maud E. Eaton
Nellie K. Geisser
School Board of Sandown

AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that I have examined the books and other financial records of the School Board of Sandown, N. H., of which this is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1946 and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

Charles B. French
Auditor

July 3, 1946

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REPORT OF TREASURER OF SCHOOL DISTRICT

June 30, 1945 to June 30, 1946

Fiscal year ending June 30, 1946
School District of Sandown

Summary

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Cash on hand June 30, 1945 | | 596.72 |
| Received from Selectmen | 3,765.00 | |
| Received from Dog Tax | 79.56 | |
| Received from State Treasurer | 1,372.61 | |
| Received from all other sources | 4.00 | |
| | | 5,221.17 |
| Total amount available for fiscal year | | 5,817.89 |

| | |
|---|---|
| Less School Board orders paid | 5,712.42 |
| Balance on hand as of June 30, 1946 | 105.47 |

Edith D. Love
District Treasurer

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AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that I have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the Treasurer of the School District of Sandown, N. H., of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1946 and find them correct in all respects.

Charles B. French
Auditor

July 3, 1946

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REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS TO THE SCHOOL BOARD AND CITIZENS OF SANDOWN:

February 1, 1947

Good Citizenship Tomorrow is based upon Good Schools today:

I am pleased to submit my fifth annual report as superintendent of your schools.

Teachers and Finance:

During the past year one of our greatest problems has been to maintain our teaching force. The usual factor of higher salaries elsewhere, plus the desire of some of the married teachers to remain at home since the ending of the war, have been the chief causes for the need for about twenty (approximately 50%) new teachers within this Supervisory Union. We have however, been fortunate to continue and in most instances improve our teaching forces.

Teachers salaries is undoubtedly the number one school problem throughout the country today. It is anticipated that much higher salaries for teachers will not only follow as a result of the present economic situation which is comparable to that which followed World War 1 but may continue after the crisis is over as a means of inducing more of the better high school graduates to look toward the teaching field as their chosen profession. The present low enrollment of prospective teachers in our teacher training institutions is indicative of an acute continued shortage for some years to come. From the state and federal levels of school finance, there is much indication that considerably more state and possibly federal money will be available (without more control) for local units. Should this outlook become a reality, teachers salaries and other necessary expenditures could be increased to a great extent without much if any increase in direct property taxes which are in many instances too high at the present time.

The bill proposed by our State Board of Education and now pending before the state legislature would increase the amount of state aid to local towns and cities throughout the state from around $400,000 to $2,080,000. If this proposal is adopted by the legislature, different individual towns within Supervisory Union No. 14 would receive from two to nearly four times as much as they are now receiving from state funds.

## Social Studies

The three R's (reading, writing and arithmetic) continue to be the basic foundation upon which our whole education system is based but to them other important phases have been added. In the social science field, the study of geography and history continue to stress the relationships between all peoples and na-

tions. As set forth as the key to the Constitution, adopted in London in Nov. 1945, of the United Nations Education, Scientific, Cultural Organization the following statement shows the need for continued consideration of other people and places. "That since wars begin in the minds of men, it is in the minds of men that defenses of peace must be constructed." In this atomic age, we are in the midst of one of the great revolutionary periods of history and upon our generation and its successors the task is imposed of discovering and organizing and establishing a multitude of new relationships among the peoples of this planet. In relation to this but under the title of Air Age Education the president of the National Education Association has recently stated "youth should develop a sense of personal concern for the solution of our problems brought about by aviation —all pupils have an obligation to study and, in so far as possible, to help solve the problems which the air age presents. Throughout our schools, children are becoming more aware of these problems through use of modern books, current publications as in some instances the use of motion picture machines and radios.

Guidance:

In order to more completely discover and develop the potentialities of each individual pupil for his own happiness and social usefulness, our teachers are attepting to cause each pupil to progress according to his own abilities. Promotions are determined on the bases of mental, physical and emotional development as well as of grade-achievement. Consideration is on the question of what appears to be for the best for each individual child. Standardized achievement tests were administered to children above grade two during the past year and mental ability tests are administered to each child at least twice during his school years. Results of

these tests are of a great help in knowing what to expect of the child and to check his progress in comparison to other children within the same and age and grade groups. The proficiency of our testing program is impeded in some instances by the lack of time on the part of teachers to correct and interpet the tests and in some instances because of lack of training of some teachers in the testing field.

Books and Other Teaching Aids:

We are continuing to purchase the newest books available for the various grades and subjects as the older ones become worn and outdated. An answer to the question "Why Don't We Get Our Books?" is found in the following quotation from Lloyd W. King, Executive Secretary of the American Textbook Publishers Institute. "It is true that schools opened in September of this school year with a shortage of text and reference books—and because of this shortage of stock about 12½% of the school books ordered had not been delivered." Some other reasons given for this situation are: (1) limited supply and increased demand for white paper from which books are made, (It is estimated that the demands for books of all kinds in 1946 is three times the 1943 volume of production.) (2) restricted pulp supply. (3) shortage of new machinery and therefore lack of press time. (4) strikes. Mr. King continues with estimates to the effect that, because costs are continuing to increase, textbooks prices will be by July 1, 1947, 40% higher than the 1942 prices. Within our area, we have renewed our book supply during the past few years to the extent that budgets for books will probably not be increased to a great extent for the coming year.

From the Twenty-fourth Yearbook of the American Association of School Administrators (1946) we

quote "One lesson from the educational programs of the armed services should be emphasized, audio-visual aids are vitally necessary in the educational equipment of a modern school. Projection equipment, radios and phonographs are essential." The moving picture projectors in Newmarket and Epping are being used regularly. Several of our Schools are fortunate in having continued rise of radios, and victrolas. A radio has recently been donated to the Clark School by a friend of Mrs. Sinskie's.

Some of the greater weaknesses within our area and common to it at the present time are poor physical plants, educational and economic inefficiency in organization in some instances, lack of satisfactory playground areas and limited curricula in our high schools. The state aided vocational offerings at the Dover High School which are free—except for transportation—are being utilized by a few students within this area. Courses in vocational agriculture, home economics, commerce, mechanic arts and beauty culture are available at Dover to any high school student who wishes to elect them. These vocational courses, with other more usual high school subjects provide a full high school course, the completion of which entitles the pupil to a regular high school diploma.

"If youth are vocationally proficient and have earning capacity, as well as the broadening educational offering which help them in their social and civic performances in life, they are on the road to being good citizens and will be well equipped to make their contributions to society."

Physical Fitness:

One of the educational trends throughout the country is general improvement of programs to develop physical and mental health. For twelve years the school

has a remarkable opportunity to join hands with other agencies in making physical fitness a major objective. Our school nurse Mrs. Cooper, makes a careful examination of each child once each year and has a watchful eye for any physical weaknesses or signs of illness or disease during each visit to the school. Many of the defects are corrected through the good efforts of parents although in some instances no corrections are made. (This fact may be more specifically noted in the nurse's report which follows). More care should be taken by parents in follow-up work to prevent more serious situations at later dates. The organized inter-scholastic sports in the high schools are valuable moves toward our objective. More playground space in those communities where practically none exists at the present time is a need not to be overlooked. With the coming reorganization of housing facilities in some cases will undoubtedly solve the problems of such limited school playground areas—organic power is built in accordance with the age-old law which means "physical exercise".

Three major health factors: namely, sleep, rest, and nutrition are taught in health and science classes; the third mentioned is being further encouraged by the government through financial aid in purchasing of milk, donation of food, and, in many instances, donations toward purchases of lunch room equipment. As our school buildings are improved or renewed to include running water, refrigeration and cooking facilities we may be able to have a school lunch program in every school.

Teachers:

Since my last report, Mrs. Lora Sinskie has continued her good work at the Clark School. Children attending that school have been fortunate to have had continuity in instruction as compared to those at the

Pine Grove School where ten different teachers have had charge during the past two years. From January to June 1946, Miss Sylvia Brown of Epping did excellent work there for a girl who had no professional teacher-training instruction; Miss Brown has, since her teaching there, entered Keene Teachers' College. During the present school year, Mrs. Ella Allen of Chester was the teacher at that school until December when she was forced to resign because of the ill health of her mother. Miss Edith Robinson of Derry substituted during a four weeks period and since the Christmas vacation, Mrs. Pauline Agard, who has had several years of teaching experience in Maine, has been teaching on a substitute basis.

If the district accepts the proposal of the selectmen as stated in the school warrant, and combines the two schools into one school to be housed in the Town Hall, it would be possible to operate two rooms with four grades in each room or one room with six grades (in case the district wishes to educate the seventh and eighth grade pupils in some other town). Either proposal would allow for more desirable organization from the teacher standpoint and would make possible many less instances of there being only one or two pupils per grade. The chief cause of the present comparatively high cost per pupil in Sandown is because of the small number of pupils per teacher. If one teacher were employed instead of two, a higher salary might be paid and still allow for a per pupil cost which would be lower in comparison to other elementary schools. One of the chief reasons for inability to get teachers has been our low salary offerings.

Reverend Edwin Pressy of Washington, D. C. and Columbus, Ohio has again in a generous way shown his feelings toward Sandown and the Pine Grove School;

he has forwarded money with which to purchase a 1947 Edition of Compton's Encyclopedia for that school. The set was ordered last summer and should be delivered soon. It would be well if a more modern set of encyclopedias could be provided for the children of the Clark School.

## STATISTICAL DATA

| | 1944 1945 | 1945 1946 | 1945-1946 by Schools Clark | Pine Grove |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| No. pupils enrolled | 33 | 35 | 16 | 19 |
| Average membership | 32.1 | 27.6 | 13.6 | 14.03 |
| Number tardinesses | | 18 | 8 | 10 |
| Average % attendance | 93.6 | 92.2 | 94.8 | 89.4 |
| No. completed Grade 8 | 5 | 3 | 0 | 3 |
| No. attending High School | 8 | 11 | | |
| Visits by School Nurse | 27 | 33 | 17 | 16 |
| Visits by Superintendent | 39 | 30 | 12 | 18 |
| Visits by Others | 50 | 34 | 19 | 15 |

Enrollment September 1946:

Clark School 20 Pine Grove 17 Total 37

Pupils who completed Grade 8 (June 1946) Sandown

Norma Ann Follansbee
Stasia Elaine Follansbee
Edward Lewis Kelley

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Pupils attending High School (September, 1946)
At Sanborn Seminary, Kingston

| SENIORS | JUNIOR |
|---|---|
| Bassett, Martha | Hutchinson, Roy |
| Clark, Charles | |
| Drowne, Eleanor | |
| Hutchinson, William | |

| SOPHOMORES | FRESHMEN |
| --- | --- |
| Bassett, Donald | Follansbee, Norma |
| Bassett, Wendell | Follansbee, Stacia |
| Clark, Constance | |
| Drowne, Marjorie | |

PINKERTON

| JUNIOR | SOPHOMORE |
| --- | --- |
| Follansbee, Norman | Shepard, Thelma |

HAMPSTEAD HIGH

SOPHOMORES

| | |
| --- | --- |
| Shufelt, Gertrude | Shufelt, Pauline |

## COMPARATIVE PER PUPIL COSTS

| | Current Cost of Public Education Per $1000 Equalized Valuation | | | Per Pupil Cost of Public Elem. School | | High School Instruction | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | 1943 1944 | 1944 1945 | Property rate % | 1943 1944 | 1944 1945 | 1944 1945 | 1945 1946 |
| Brentwood | 20.59 | 21.67 | 3.90 | 131.36 | 141.26 | | |
| Danville | 17.90 | 17.37 | 3.85 | 60.23 | 63.11 | | |
| Epping | 23.42 | 25.77 | 4.60 | 63.49 | 72.33 | 75.34 | 76.13 |
| Fremont | 14.88 | 16.65 | 3.00 | 68.87 | 80.37 | | |
| Kingston | 15.93 | 19.42 | 3.30 | 86.39 | 102.42 | | |
| Newmarket | 19.52 | 22.62 | 4.90 | 97.66 | 90.16 | 80.05 | 96.97 |
| Sandown | 16.82 | 18.91 | 3.60 | 145.66 | 129.60 | | |
| South Hampton | 16.99 | 16.96 | 2.40 | 104.90 | 116.69 | | |
| | | | | | | Average | |
| Media for the State | 13.78 | 14.59 | | 102.07 | 112.29 | 114.59 | 123.79 |
| Raymond | 22.82 | 27.79 | 4.30 | 82.66 | 89.35 | 148.20 | 119.12 |
| Hampton | 7.21 | 7.60 | 3.04 | 86.32 | 92.90 | 96.77 | 94.80 |
| Exeter | 7.19 | 9.31 | 3.00 | 86.92 | 90.68 | 163.50 | 150.47 |
| Farmington | | 19.15 | 4.77 | | 75.59 | | 108.77 |
| Somersworth | | 12.52 | 3.80 | | 131.80 | | 127.40 |
| Pittsfield | | 23.10 | 4.00 | | 95.70 | | 100.09 |

In conclusion, your attention is directed to the following reports of the school nurse Mrs. Constance Cooper, R. N. and the music supervisor Miss Prudence Hayes.

Again I wish to thank the members of the School Board, the teachers, pupils and parents for their continued cooperation in carrying on and improving the work of education in our community.

The members of your School Board continue to work for the betterment of the school. "They are helping to build the future" — and according to a recent publication, "perhaps more than any other group, they have the opportunity to shape the future of America".

Respectfully submitted,

Jonathan A. Osgood,
Superintendent

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## HEALTH SUPERVISION

To the Superintendent of Schools and School Board of Sandown, N. H.:

Of the 27 pupils examined during the school year 1945-1946, the following cases were found and treatment was given as indicated:

| | No. Cases | No. Receiving Treatment | No. Corrections |
|---|---|---|---|
| Underweight | 3 | 3 | |
| Nervous condition | 1 | 1 | |
| Defective teeth | 8 | | 2 |
| Diseased tonsils | 3 | | 3 |
| Adenoids | 3 | | 3 |
| Defective breathing | 1 | 1 | |
| Enlarged glands | 3 | 3 | |
| Measles | 8 | | |
| Mumps | 5 | | |

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|---|---|
| Pediculosis | 2 |
| Skin diseases | 16 |
| Number vaccinated | 27 |

Constance Cooper, R. N.

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## MUSIC DEPARTMENT

To the Superintendent and the School Board of Sandown, New Hampshire:

I hereby submit my first annual report as Music Supervisor.

The Sandown Schools have been carrying on an adequate music program during this school year. Although the upper grades are small, some two and three part music is being studied. All grades are very musical and eager to learn. Since it is of great interest, the music department is endeavoring to give them every opportunity to express themselves musically.

In order that pupils in school may have more fun with music, the first necessity is the use of songs that are intensely enjoyable. In the early grades, the music course provides a large number of rare and attractive folk songs, traditional songs and songs of moods, experiences and ideals of childhood. As the course progresses, simple melodies from great and noted composers are presented. The second provision which is desirable in order to give more pupils more fun with music is the provision of experiences in listening to enjoyable music.

A genuine growth in music means a gradual and progressive development. The music course is so arranged as to lead the pupil to this goal.

In conclusion, may I express my appreciation to all those who have made this year an enjoyable one.

Respectfully submitted
Prudence Hayes

# *Births, Marriages and Deaths*

*Registered in the*

# *TOWN OF SANDOWN*

*For the Year Ending*

*December 31, 1946*

Births Registered in the Town of Sandown for the Year Ending December 31st, 1946

| Date of Birth | Place of Birth | Name of Child | Sex | Name of Father | Maiden Name of Mother |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1946 | | | | | |
| Nov. 2 | Exeter, N. H. | Louise Ann Deveau | f | Francis Edward Deveau | Bertha May Follansbee |
| Nov. 29 | Haverhill, Mass. | Charles Everett Holmes | m | Everett E. Holmes | Ruth Rowell Poore |
| Dec. 9 | E. Derry, N. H. | Dorothy Arlene Huckins | f | Everett P. Huckins | Evelyn B. Brown |
| Dec. 13 | Winchester, Mass | Amelia Thelma Perfect | f | Ernest G. Perfect | Beatrice A. Webb |

## Marriages Registered in the Town of Sandown for the Year Ending December 31st, 1946

| Date | Name and Surname of Groom and Bride | Age | Place of Birth of Each | Name of Father | By Whom Married |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1946 | | | | | |
| Apr. 20 | Raeburn S. Sherbut | 30 | Plaistow, N. H. | Ralph S. Sherbut | Charles A. Brooks |
| | Ruth A. Merrick | 21 | Sandown, N. H. | Clarence A. Merrick | Justice of the Peace |
| May 4 | F. Edward Deveau | 27 | Gloucester, Mass. | F. Edward Deveau | Charles W. Frye |
| | Bertha M. Follansbee | 23 | Sandown, N. H. | Leon T. Follansbee | Clergyman |
| May 5 | Clarence W. Merrick | 26 | Nashua, N. H. | Clarence A. Merrick | Charles A. Brooks |
| | Ella M. Houston | 22 | Hampstead, N. H. | Howard E. Houston | Justice of the Peace |
| June 17 | Edwin R. Shufelt | 40 | Somerville, Mass. | Thomas N. Shufelt | Randolph S. Merrill |
| | Edith Loud | 35 | Newton, Mass. | Clarence W. Loud | Minister |
| Sept. 21 | Henry T. Lagasse | 26 | Hampstead, N. H. | Edmund E. Lagasse | W. Raymond Pierce |
| | Marjorie E. Russell | 26 | Springfield, Mass. | Harry A. Russell | Clergyman |
| Oct. 17 | Warren D. Phillips | 23 | Haverhill, Mass. | Joseph D. Phillips | Charles W. Frye |
| | Eva C. Bassett | 21 | Sandown, N. H. | Raymond K. Bassett | Clergyman |
| Dec. 21 | Francis M. Marlow | 26 | No. Westminister, Vt. | Wallace M. Marlow | Rev. E. E. Gagnon |
| | Hazel P. Bassett | 25 | Sandown, N. H. | Raymond K. Bassett | Catholic Priest |

Deaths Registered in the Town of Sandown for the Year Ending December 31st, 1946

| Date | Place of Death | Name and Surname of Deceased | Age | Place of Birth | Name of Father | Maiden Name of Mother |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1946 | | | | | | |
| Jan. 22 | East Derry, N. H. | Albion McLaren | 84 | East Derry, N. H. | David McLaren | Sarah Bean |
| Feb. 27 | Derry, N. H. | Lydia Eliza Landrey | 70 | Vermont | John Blake | Unknown |
| Apr. 13 | Sandown, N. H. | Nellie Estella Harriman | 80 | Canada | Wm. H. Boyd | Unknown |
| July 1 | Sandown, N. H. | Albert Martino | 22 | Lawrence, Mass. | Joseph Martino | Bernardine La Mastro |
| Sept. 25 | Hampton Falls, N. H. | Nellie C. S. Osgood | 91 | Exeter, N. H. | William Rhodes | Mary Rowell |

I hereby certify that the above returns are correct according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Charles I. Brock, Town Clerk.